STATE OF TENNESSEE

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 596

HOUSE BILL NO. 963

By Representative McCord

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 686

By Senators Woodson, Ketron, Finney

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, relative to the wildlife resources commission and the wildlife resources agency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-311(f), is amended by deleting the date "June 13, 2009" and by substituting instead the date "March 31, 2010".

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, a restaurant located in Tennessee may advertise, possess, sell, offer for sale or give away fully cooked crappie or walleye for consumption on the premises of such restaurant; provided that no such crappie or walleye is harvested from the waters of state of Tennessee and that appropriate documentation is maintained on the premises of the restaurant exhibiting the location of origin of any such crappie and walleye.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: June 18, 2009

KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 8th day of July 2009

